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The reply filed on May 13, 2009 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): for failure to elect a specific ionic liquid in Claim 17. The ionic liquid must be either substituted imidazolium or a substituted aryl sulfonate. Imidazole and aryl sulfonate are two different compounds. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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